
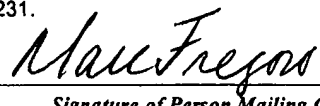


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Applicant(s): Hidekazu Taniguchi, et al.					
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Invention: GRAPHICAL INTERACTIVE-SCREEN DISPLAY APPARATUS AND PERIPHERAL UNITS					
<u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u> Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
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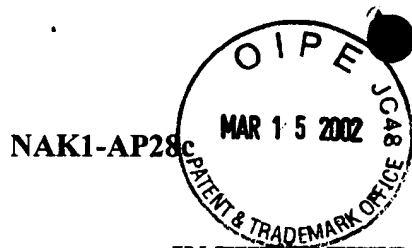
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Prior to an examination of the merits of the above-identified application, please enter the following amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following newly drafted Claim 48.

- 1 48. (New) A method of synthesizing a menu comprising the steps of:
- 2 a menu information receiving step for receiving a plurality of menu information
- 3 from a plurality of appliances; and
- 4 a menu synthesizing step for synthesizing the plurality of menu information
- 5 received by the menu information receiving step in accordance with a synthesizing rule.